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WELDING INSPECTION REPORT

Resident Engineer: Pursell, Gary **Report No:** WIR-002917

Address: 333 Burma Road **Date Inspected:** 18-Jun-2008

City: Oakland, CA 94607

Project Name: SAS Superstructure **OSM Arrival Time:** 1430 **OSM Departure Time:** 2230 **Prime Contractor:** American Bridge/Fluor Enterprises, a JV

Contractor: Zhenhua Port Machinery Company, Ltd (ZPMC), Changxing Island **Location:** Shanghai, China

CWI Name: CWI Present: Yes Cheng Xi No **Inspected CWI report:** Yes N/A **Rod Oven in Use:** Yes No No N/A N/A **Electrode to specification:** Yes No Weld Procedures Followed: Yes No N/A **Qualified Welders:** Yes No N/A **Verified Joint Fit-up:** Yes No N/A N/A Yes No N/A **Approved Drawings:** Yes No **Approved WPS:** Yes N/A **Delayed / Cancelled:** No

34-0006 **Bridge No: Component:** OBG

Summary of Items Observed:

On this date, Caltrans Office of Structural Materials (OSM) Quality Assurance (QA) Inspector Edward Leach was present to randomly observe and document the welding and Quality Control (QC) functions performed by ZPMC personnel relative to the fabrication of SAS Superstructure project. While on site, the QA Inspector noted the following work.

Bay 3-New Tower Building

The QA Inspector randomly observed ZPMC welding and QC personnel performing grinding of repairs of Orthotropic Box Girder (OBG) deck panel Partial Joint Penetration (PJP) welds. During initial observations it was noted that thirty-five (35ea) deck panels are inside the shop. The QA Inspector observed repair work in-process on deck panel DP026-001, DP027-001, DP042-001, DP074-001.

Visual Testing (VT)

The QA Inspector performed final VT, along with ABF and ZPMC QC personnel on deck panel DP051-001 prior to final magnetic particle testing (MT). Repaired areas appeared to meet contract specifications upon completion of VT. As of the end of second shift the final MT by ZPMC was still pending.

Bay 4-MT

The QA Inspector performed 10% MT after ZPMC QC personnel completed 25% MT for the stiffener plate fillet welds on the following side panel designations: SP082-001, SP084-001, SP087-001 & SP089-001. A TL-6028 was generated on this date. No relevant indications were noted upon completion of testing.

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Summary of Conversations:

No relevant conversations this date.

Comments

This report is for the purpose of determining conformance with the contract documents and is not for the purpose of making repair or fit for purpose recommendations. Should you require recommendations concerning repairs or remedial efforts please contact Mazen Wahbeh, (818) 292-0659, who represents the Office of Structural Materials for your project.

Inspected By:	Leach,Ed	Quality Assurance Inspector
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